

The Office of the Governor **Proclamation**

Executive Department State of Idaho State Capitol Boise

WHEREAS, Dr. Esmaeil Fallahi has completed nearly two decades of service to the people of Idaho by promoting Novel Fruit Industries within the State. These industries have not only benefited farmers and the University of Idaho by using the latest techniques and research to produce better fruit, but have also made significant contributions to the economy; and

WHEREAS, the people of the State of Idaho are grateful for Dr. Esmaeil Fallahi's career-long dedication to enhancing fruit crop production and helping to bring an awareness of the importance of fruit crops to the future of the State, and the health of its citizens; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Fallahi is one of the most decorated and renowned scientists in his field; his work and contributions have been recognized and honored internationally bringing Idaho to the forefront of horticultural research; and

WHEREAS, it is appropriate that Dr. Esmaeil Fallahi should be recognized for his career with the University of Idaho Parma Research and Extension Center;

NOW THEREFORE, I, JAMES E. RISCH, Governor of the State of Idaho, do hereby proclaim September 13, 2006, to be

DR. ESMAEIL FALLAHI DAY

in Idaho.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Idaho at the Capitol in Boise on this 8th day of September in the year of our Lord two thousand and six and of the Independence of the United States of America the two hundred thirty-first and of the Statehood of Idaho the one hundred seventeenth.

JAMES E. RISCH GOVERNOR

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